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APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
09/925,296	08/09/2001	Yasuo Takahashi	OOCL-65 (US-P1496)

CONFIRMATION NO. 2674

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FORMALITIES LETTER



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Date Mailed: 09/25/2001

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 840.**

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Attorney Docket No.: OOCL-65 (US-P1496)

Applicant: Yasuo TAKAHASHI

Serial No.: 09/925,296

Filing Date: August 9, 2001

Title: BATTERY-OPERABLE PRINTER

Examiner: Not yet assigned

Group Art Unit: 2861

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

MISSING PARTS TRANSMITTAL

In response to a "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application" (PTO-1533) mailed on September 25, 2001 and setting a time for response to expire on November 25, 2001, in connection with the above-captioned patent application, applicant encloses the following:


- ☒ Postcard receipt;
- ☐ **Assertion of Small Entity Status -**
Small Entity Status is hereby claimed;
- ☒ Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney
(3 pgs.);
- ☒ Copy of application as filed;
- ☐ English translation document;
- ☒ Assignment with Recordation Form Cover Sheet
(in duplicate) to Olympus Optical Co., Ltd. (4 pgs.);
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement, modified PTO-1449,
and (0) cited reference(s);
- ☒ Copy of PTO-1533 (Notice to File Missing Parts)
issued in connection with this application;

- ☒ A claim to priority (included in declaration);
- ☒ Submission of Priority Document form and Certified copy of Japanese Application Nos. 2000-249915 and 2001-238323, filed on August 21, 2000 and August 6, 2001 respectively;
- ☒ Fee Transmittal form; and
- ☒ Our check in the amount of \$ 910.00 to cover the basic filing fee of \$ 740.00, the surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(e) in the amount of \$ 130.00 for late filing of the declaration, and an assignment recordation fee of \$ 40.00.

In the event the enclosed check is unacceptable, insufficient or is omitted, kindly charge the additional or entire cost, as appropriate, to the deposit account of **STRAUB & POKOTYLO**, deposit account number 50-1049. To facilitate that charge, a duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

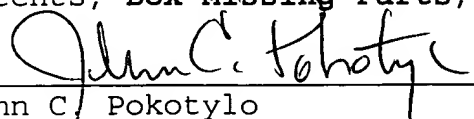
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING under 37 C.F.R. 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited on **October 18, 2001** with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, with sufficient postage, in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, **Box Missing Parts**, Washington, D.C. 20231.


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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2001

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Complete if Known

Application Number	09/925,296
Filing Date	August 9, 2001
First Named Inventor	Yasuo TAKAHASHI
Examiner Name	Not yet assigned
Group Art Unit	2861
Attorney Docket No.	OOCL-65 (US-P1496)

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ 910.00)

METHOD OF PAYMENT

1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to:

Deposit Account Number 50-1049
Deposit Account Name Straub & Pokotylo

☒ Charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2. ☒ Payment Enclosed:

☒ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101 740	201 370	Utility filing fee	740.00
106 330	206 165	Design filing fee	
107 510	207 255	Plant filing fee	
108 740	208 370	Reissue filing fee	
114 160	214 80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 740.00)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
20	-20** = 0	18.00	00.00
2	-3** = 0	84.00	00.00
Multiple Dependent			

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description
103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 84	202 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 280	204 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 84	209 42	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 00.00)

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105 130	205 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	130.00
127 50	227 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139 130	139 130	Non-English specification	
147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112 920*	112 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113 1,840*	113 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115 110	215 55	Extension for reply within first month	
116 400	216 200	Extension for reply within second month	
117 920	217 460	Extension for reply within third month	
118 1,440	218 720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128 1,960	228 980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119 320	219 160	Notice of Appeal	
120 320	220 160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121 280	221 140	Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140 110	240 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141 1,280	241 640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142 1,280	242 640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143 460	243 230	Design issue fee	
144 620	244 310	Plant issue fee	
122 130	122 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123 50	123 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126 180	126 180	Submission of Information Disclosure	
581 40	581 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40.00
146 740	246 370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149 740	249 370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179 740	279 370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169 900	169 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) _____

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) (\$ 170.00)

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